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LETTER DATED 26 JULY 1994 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I am writing to inform you of the serious difficulties that have arisen for the operations of the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) in Croatia owing to blockades of all UNPROFOR traffic into the United Nations Protected Areas (UNPAs) by demonstrators.

Since 1 July 1994, demonstrators from the Association of Displaced Persons (of Croatia) have deliberately and progressively obstructed all crossing points into the UNPAs. A full list of hindrances at crossing points is attached (annex I).

The blockades have meant that UNPROFOR's ability to monitor the 29 March 1994 Cease-fire Agreement (S/1994/367, annex) has been severely diminished. A direct result of this has been that the number of confirmed serious violations of the Cease-fire Agreement has increased and tensions are rising within the zone of separation. In addition, UNPROFOR personnel have been blocked from performing basic tasks required in the sectors and, as such, they have been unable to conduct negotiations to resolve outstanding issues.

As the majority of UNPROFOR resupply is carried out by road to the sectors, logistic supply has been virtually halted, leading to the use of circuitous and more expensive routes through Hungary and Serbia in order to provide basic supplies for personnel, especially in Sector East. Helicopters have also been used to transport commodities into sectors, as most alternate routes, used from time to time, are now blocked. Furthermore, petrol has been rationed, further restricting the ability of the sector personnel to carry out their functions. Troop-contributing countries have expressed serious concern about the welfare of the personnel they have provided to UNPROFOR.

Movement of personnel for periods of leave and for rotation of units have been seriously hampered; for example, at Camp Pleso there are currently approximately 600 soldiers who are proceeding from leave and cannot return to the UNPAs because of the blockades. Other soldiers in the UNPAs have had their leave cancelled. Perhaps most important is the effect on the morale of the personnel who are being prevented from carrying out their duties.

In response to these obstructions, my Special Representative, Mr. Akashi, met last week with President Tudjman, Prime Minister Valentic, and Mr. Sarinic (President of the State Commission for Relations with UNPROFOR) to impress upon them the seriousness of the situation and the responsibility of the Government of Croatia to ensure that UNPROFOR's work is not impeded. He also conveyed to them that UNPROFOR had clear evidence of the active participation of Croatian police in several of the blockades and that the Croatian Government was in violation of paragraph 8 and annex A of the Cease-fire Agreement of 29 March 1994, which explicitly commits the Croatian Government to opening specific crossing points which are now blocked on the Croatian side.

On 19 July, President Tudjman informed Mr. Akashi that, though the Croatian Government was not officially involved in the blockades, they would only stop when Mr. Akashi publicly announced that all humanitarian aid to the UNPAs would be discontinued and that return of displaced persons to the zone of separation would commence. The first condition is unacceptable and the second unimplementable but, in a spirit of understanding for the frustrations of the displaced persons, Mr. Akashi did release a public statement on 21 July on UNPROFOR's achievements, the obstacles it has faced, and its intentions, particularly as regards the possibility of the return of displaced persons.

Prime Minister Valentic undertook to seek an amelioration of the situation, and the Croatian Government made a public call for an end to the blockades on 21 July. On 23 July, my Special Representative discussed the matter again with President Tudjman. These steps have not yielded positive results, other than the passage in Sector North of one leave convoy on 22 July and a personnel reinforcement convoy on 23 July.

All Croatian Government representatives with whom Mr. Akashi has spoken have pointed to the political sensitivities and difficulties in which they find themselves. There is no doubt that the feelings of the displaced persons in Croatia must be addressed. However, while the democratic right of citizens to demonstrate cannot be denied, it must be balanced against the obligations assumed by the Croatian Government to allow UNPROFOR to do its work. While the Government of Croatia may not be fully in control of the demonstrators, it is undeniably fully responsible for ensuring that their actions do not prevent UNPROFOR from carrying out its mandate.

The present situation cannot be allowed to continue. Without the restoration of UNPROFOR's freedom of movement, the difficult conditions of supply and logistics risk the rapid diminution of the mission's capabilities. If the present situation is not rectified, UNPROFOR will simply be unable to function in pursuance of the mandates entrusted to it by the Security Council.

I recommend that the Security Council take appropriate action to call upon the Government of the Republic of Croatia to fulfil its obligations to UNPROFOR and to end the blockades.

(Signed) Boutros BOUTROS-GHALI

Annex I

List of restrictions of UNPROFOR's freedom of movement, 1-21 July 1994

Serial No.	Date	Location	Who/what was restricted	Blocked by	Impact on ability to fulfil mandate
1	1 July	Sector North Vojnova Crossing	A Polish battalion patrol was not allowed to pass from the Republic of Serb Krajina territory into Croatia.	Croatian Police	Non-verification
2	1 July	Sector North Pavlici (WK 2499)	The route from OP NP 303 (WK 240995) to OP NP 305 (WK 242953) was blocked.	Displaced persons	Harassment
3	1 July	French logistics battalion 1500B Sisak	A convoy was blocked at Sisak and spent four days at Topusko, trying each day to exit the sector. It succeeded at Karlovac on 4 July.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply convoy
4	2 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
5	2 July	Sector East Highway Croatian checkpoint (Zagreb-Belgrade (XL 467193))	A convoy of United Nations vehicles was stopped.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Harassment Loss of freedom of movement

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6	2 July	Sector South	United Nations Military Observers (UNMO) team Zadar was blocked by demonstrators between 1200 hours and 1730 hours. The Zadar-Biograd (WJ 3565) road was closed to United Nations traffic all afternoon. The blockade took place at Biograd (WJ 3565).	Displaced persons	Non-verification
7	2 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
8	2 July	French battalion 3 Turanj	A convoy of 9 vehicles and 25 persons carrying food, water and supplies was blocked and returned to Pleso.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply
9	3 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopolje was stopped again at the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938 386) by a civilian demonstration.	Displaced persons	Non-verification
10	3 July	Sector South	Pakovo Selo (WJ 8854) was blocked by 20 civilians, organized by the Croatian Army between 1015 and 1825 hours.	Displaced persons	Non-verification

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11	3 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked. At Bair (XL 5862730) the crossing point was manned by Croatian Police.	Displaced persons Croatian Police	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
12	4 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
13	4 July	Sector East Weapon Control Storage Area Nasice (BR 7241)	UNMO team Osijek was denied access to visit the weapon storage area.	Croatian Army	Non-verification
14	4 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopolje was stopped at the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938 386) by civilian demonstration.	Displaced persons	Non-verification
15	4 July	Sector North OP NU 22 (WL 979351)	A fuel truck was denied access to the Republic of Serb Krajina side by Croatian Police since 29 June.	Croatian Police	Disruption of resupply

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16	4 July	Sector North Moscenica Crossing	Three water supply trucks were stopped.	Displaced persons	Disruption of resupply
17	4 July	Sector South T-28 (WK 346593)	A Czech battalion truck with food and water supplies to T-28 was stopped.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Harassment
18	4 July	French logistics battalion 0900B Osijek	A food convoy for Sector East was blocked and returned to Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Damage to perishable goods
19	4 July	French logistics battalion 0700B Novska	A convoy with metallic fuel tanks, general supplies, spare parts and duty-free goods was blocked and returned to Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply
20	5 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked. At Bair (XL 5862730) the crossing point was manned by Croatian Police.	Displaced persons Croatian Police	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
21	5 July	Sector North	Croatian side blocked Observation Posts Nos. 25, 26, 32, 33 and 34 to supply water and food.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Harassment
22	5 July	French battalion 3 Turanj Sisak	A 12-vehicle convoy en route to Pleso was stopped and returned to Velica.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply

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23	5 July	French logistics battalion 0800B Karlovac	A food convoy for Sector South was blocked and returned to Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Damage to perishable goods
24	5 July	French logistics battalion 0800B Karlovac	A food convoy for Sector North was blocked and returned to Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Damage to perishable goods
25	6 July	Sector East Weapon Control Sorage Brodanci (CR 125465) and Djakavo (BR 9720)	UNMO team Osijek was denied access to visit the weapon storage site.	Croatian Army	Non-verification
26	6 July	Sector North Danish battalion area of responsibility	Danish battalion was denied use of the ferries out of the United Nations protected areas (UNPAs).	Croatian Police	Loss of freedom of movement Harassment
27	6 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
28	6 July	French battalion 3 Turanj Sisak	Four convoys (food, water and supplies) were blocked at Sisak and Turanj and returned to Velika or Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supplies

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29	6 July	Sector East 1050B Lipovac	On the Belgrade-Zagreb Highway near Lipovac, the senior military observer was prevented from passing through the crossing point, which was blocked by three displaced persons. Four policemen and 15 soldiers were also present. The policemen refused to talk to the senior military observer. A police car parked near the crossing point was used to bring three more displaced persons and later used to bring lunch for the displaced persons.	Displaced persons and Croatian Police	Restriction on freedom of movement
30	7 July	Sector East Weapon Control Storage Strizivoina (BR 9711)	UNMO team Vinkovici was denied access to the weapon storage site.	Croatian Army	Non-verification
31	7 July	Sector East Weapon Control Storage Zupanja (BR 9711)	UNMO team Otok was denied access to the weapon storage site.	Croatian Army	Non-verification
32	7 July	Sector East Apatin (CR 4260)	UNMO was denied passage.	Croatian Militia	Non-verification Loss of freedom of movement
33	7 July	Sector North	A Danish battalion scout car was stopped at XL 079315.	Croatian Police	Loss of freedom of movement
34	7 July	Sector North	All crossing points were closed to UNPROFOR traffic.	Displaced persons	

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35	7 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
36	7 July	Hungary	A Belgian battalion mail convoy was rerouted through Hungary.	Displaced persons	Disruption of administration
37	7 July	French battalion 3 Turanj Sisak Otocac	A reconnaissance patrol was sent to Otocac (WK 2068) to test this crossing point. The patrol contacted UNMO to prepare the leave rotation for 11 and 12 July. Two convoys in and one convoy out were blocked.	Displaced persons	Disruption of leave rotation
38	8 July	Sector East	At Bair (XL 586273) the crossing point was closed.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply
39	8 July	Sector North Gornji Poljana 500 metres from the bridge (WL 938386)	A joint patrol of the United Nations Civilian Police (UNCIVPOL) and Ukraine battalion 2 were stopped.	Croatian Police	Loss of freedom of movement Non-verification
40	8 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopoljc managed to cross the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938386) but was denied access to pass through the demonstrators.	Displaced persons	Non-verification

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41	8 July	French battalion 3 Turanj Sisak Vojvonak Otocac	Two jeeps and two trucks were first blocked at Brinje (WK 1083) by Croatian Police, then tried to cross at Otocac. They tried at Vojnovac and came back to Pleso. One seven-vehicle convoy was blocked at Turanj and Sisak, then tried to cross at Vojvonac and finally came back to Pleso. The cargo consisted of water, spare parts, mail, petrol, oil and lubricants.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply
42	9 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
43	10 July	French battalion 3	Leave rotation was blocked.	Displaced persons	Disruption of leave rotation
44	10 July	Sector East Donji Miholjac (BR 7971)	One Belgian battalion jeep was denied permission to cross the border with Hungary.	Croatian customs officials	Loss of freedom of movement Harassment
45	10 July	Sector North CP 46 Licko Petrovo Selo Satelit (WK 5869)	A French battalion 3 convoy was denied access to UNPAs.	Croatian Army, Thirteenth Brigade soldiers	Disruption of supply

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46	10 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
47	10 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopolje managed to cross the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938386) but was denied access to pass through the demonstrators.	Displaced persons	Non-verification
48	11 July	French battalion 3 0600B Turanj 1000B Medak 2200B Otocac	One 14-vehicle convoy on leave rotation tried to cross at Turanj, then at Medak and was blocked for five hours by Croatian military police. It joined Otocac at night and spent the night at the Czech battalion location. It succeeded in crossing at 120700B. One 19-vehicle convoy succeeded in crossing at Buzim, then joined Otocac to cross at 1500B and reached Zagreb. The two convoys arrived at Zagreb and all the soldiers were able to go on leave.	Displaced persons	Disruption of leave rotation and mail
49	11 July	Sector South Medak Crossing Otocac Crossing	A French battalion 3 convoy of 15 vehicles and 128 persons was denied passage.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Harassment

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50	11 July	Sector North 2000B Gradusa (XL 199287)	A Danish battalion bus was stopped at Gradusa by five policemen and eight special police by order of the commanding officer of the Sisak police and other UNPROFOR vehicles were not allowed to use ferry. In the area of WL 9338 there are usually four policemen. On 5 July 1994, after a Ukraine battalion 2 car managed to pass through civilian demonstrators, 18 policemen appeared at the site, including the commanding officer of a police unit team with the name "Fakcovic", and another policeman who had Personal No. 08834 (Sisak Police). There were also two police cars (Nos. 100-69 and 100-051). The police blocked the road.	Croatian Police	Loss of freedom of movement
51	11 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid

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52	12 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopolje managed to cross the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938386) but was denied access to pass through the demonstrators.	Displaced persons	Non-verification
53	12 July	Sector North	Team Turopolje was denied permission to cross the pontoon bridge over Kupa river (WL 943402) at 1100 hours by Croatian Army troops.	Croatian Army	Non-verification
54	12 July	French battalion 3 0700B Turanj 0900B Sisak 1230B Vojvonac 1900B Otocac	Two convoys on leave rotation with a cargo of food, petrol, oil, lubricants, water and spare parts tried to cross at Turanj, Sisak, Vojnovac and Otocac, then returned to Pleso.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation
55	13 July	Sector North	The supply line of Polish battalion to observation posts Nos. 307 and 310 was closed.	Croatian Police and displaced persons	Disruption of supply Loss of freedom of movement
56	13 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid

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57	13 July	Sector North	UNMO team Turopolje managed to cross the pontoon bridge at Nebojan (WL 938386) but was denied access to pass through the demonstrators.	Displaced persons	Non-verification
58	13 July	Sector South	UNMO team Gospic was advised by a Croatian Army liaison officer that written permission from the Ministry of Internal Affairs was required for convoys using the Medac crossing. No official reason was given.	Croatian Army liaison officer	Harassment
59	13 July	French battalion 3 0700B Turanj Medac	Two convoys on leave rotation with a cargo of food, water, mail, petrol, oil and lubricants tried to cross at Turanj and came back to Pleso. An airlift was scheduled then cancelled. One French logistics battalion convoy succeeded in crossing at Medac and joined Velica with five French battalion 3 vehicles. Twenty French battalion 3 soldiers were transported by helicopter from Pleso to Topusko.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply Diversion of helicopter assets

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60	14 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
61	14 July	French battalion 3 0900B Turanj	Three convoys (Zagreb-Velica) were blocked at Turanj. One engineers convoy (Velica-Zagreb) was blocked at Turanj.	Croatian Police	Disruption of troop rotation
62	15 July	French battalion 3 0800B Turanj	Three convoys were blocked at Turanj.	Croatian Police	Disruption of troop rotation
63	15 July	Sector North Turanj Crossing	A Polish battalion convoy of 7 vehicles and 35 men was stopped.	Displaced persons	Disruption of unit rotation
64	15 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
65	15 July	Sector West 1730B Subocka (XL 667300)	A supply truck was stopped and three hours of negotiations were required before permission to pass was granted.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Harassment

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66	16 July	French battalion 3 0739B Turanj	Three convoys were blocked at Turanj.	Croatian Militia	Disruption of troop leave rotation
67	16 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
68	17 July	Sector North Karlovac	A Polish battalion convoy of 30 soldiers and 20 vehicles was blocked from 15 July.	Croatian Police	Disruption of resupply Harassment
69	17 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
70	17 July	French battalion 3	No clearance could be obtained to cross at Turanj. Some 108 people were transported by helicopter from Pleso to Topusco.	Displaced persons	Disruption of troop rotation Diversion of air assets
71	18 July	Sector East Nustar (CR 3022)	UNMO team Vincovici was denied access to the road between Nustar and CP19.		Non-verification

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72	18 July	Sector North	UNMOs reported that the road towards SZ was blocked at Brest Pokopski (WL 9834).	Displaced persons	
73	18 July	Sector South Otocac Crossing	Three Czech battalion buses were stopped at the crossing point.	Displaced persons	Disruption of troop rotation
74	18 July	Sector South Medak Crossing	There were no displaced persons at Medak Crossing, only two Croatian policemen. A Czech battalion convoy of three buses was denied access to Medak Crossing by Croatian Police and was forced to return to Zagreb.	Croatian Police	Harassment Disruption of unit rotation Morale
75	18 July	Sector South	UNMO team Gospic was restricted to the office (WK 281332) by 50-70 displaced persons from 181718B. UNMOs were allowed to leave the office on foot only. Four Croatian Police cars were observed in the area before the demonstration began.	Displaced persons	Harassment Non-verification
76	19 July	Sector North Turanj	The Croatian Police closed the supply line to the Polish battalion observation post 310. This observation post had food and fuel for only one day.	Displaced persons and Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Loss of freedom of movement

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77	19 July	Sector South Medak	A Canadian logistics battalion resupply convoy was prevented from crossing the previous day. The convoy returned to Split.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply
78	19 July	French battalion 3 0700B Turanj	No airlift was scheduled. Some 87 persons were left at Pleso to wait for an airlift scheduled for 20 July and 32 vehicles tried to cross at Turanj at 0700B but were blocked by police. The two convoys crossed at Miranje (NL 3311) on 20 July.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supplies and troop rotation
79	19 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
80	19 July	French logistics battalion Miranje	A food convoy for Sectors North and South and Bihac was refused entrance by a spontaneous civilian demonstration. UNMOs were unable to assist.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supply and diversion of log assets Damage to perishable goods

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81	20 July	Sector East	All UNPROFOR and UNHCR traffic was blocked.	Displaced persons	Non-verification Disruption of supply Disruption of leave rotation Disruption of Belgian battalion unit rotation Disruption of humanitarian aid
82	20 July	French battalion 3 Ogulin-Senj Road	Two convoys were blocked on the Ogulin-Senj Road, then spent the night in the Zadar area. They tried to cross at Zemunik at 1125B. They were escorted to Jasenice by Croatian Police and were blocked there by displaced persons. The head of the demonstrators was the same as at Zemunik. The convoys spent the night in the area.	Displaced persons	Disruption of supplies Harassment Violation of the 29 March 1994 Cease-fire Agreement
83	20 July	French battalion 3 0900B Turanj	An engineering convoy was blocked and returned to Velika Kladusa.	Displaced persons	Loss of freedom of movement
84	20 July	French battalion 3 Miranje	A convoy was blocked by demonstrators and eventually turned back.	Displaced persons	Loss of freedom of movement
85	20 July	Sector South Czech battalion Medak	Three buses with 120 soldiers returning from leave were blocked by demonstrators and returned to Zagreb.	Displaced persons	Disruption of leave rotation

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86	21 July	Sector South Jordanian battalion 3	Five buses with 270 soldiers were blocked at Gospic by demonstrators. The soldiers attempted to cross on foot but were stopped by an elderly female displaced person who threatened them with a shotgun. The Croatian Police were present and took no action. Clearance for this move had been received on 20 July from Croatian authorities.	Displaced persons and Croatian Police	Disruption of unit rotation Congestion at Pleso Morale Violation of the 29 March 1994 Cease-fire Agreement
87	21 July	French battalion 3 0400B Maselinica	Continued from serial No. 82. The convoys, now into their third day on the road, attempted to enter UNPA. It was stopped by a single Croatian policeman who refused to let them pass, despite efforts by UNMOs and Sector South headquarters. The convoys withdrew.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Violation of the 29 March 1994 Cease-fire Agreement
88	21 July	French logistics battalion Miranje	Food convoys for Sectors South and North were blocked by Croatian Police. Negotiations between UNMOs and police continued.	Croatian Police	Disruption of supply Loss of freedom of movement

Annex II

Unit rotation

Date	Number of persons	Remarks
11 July	95	Dutch battalion rotation to Srebenica rerouted through Hungary. Approximate one-day delay.
14 July	109	"
18 July	220	"
21	230	"
24	195	"
22 July	196	Jordanian battalion 3 rotation may be postponed owing to blockage of the crossing point
25	227	"
30	243	"
08 August	241	"
15 July	31	Polish battalion: 31 persons, 17 armoured personnel carriers, 13 trucks and 7 jeeps waiting for clearance at Karlovac to enter Sector North
18 July	60	Waiting to leave Sector North at end of tour
22 July	160	Polish battalion (reinforcement) will arrive at Pleso
12 July	45	Ukrainian battalion convoy waiting at Pleso since 12 July
10 August		Argentine battalion (Sector West) may experience problems
15 August		Danish battalion (Sector North) may experience problems

Annex III

Unit leave

Sector East

1. 9 persons from Sector East had their leave delayed owing to problems at the crossing point.

2. 62 persons returning from leave were delayed for four days at Pleso.

Sector North

1. 130 French battalion 2 soldiers returning from leave were waiting at Pleso since 12 July.

2. 245 Polish battalion soldiers returning from leave were waiting at Pleso since 17 July.

3. 45 Ukrainian battalion soldiers returning from leave were waiting at Pleso since 12 July.

4. 130 Polish battalion soldiers had their leave delayed owing to problems at the crossing point.

5. 25 Ukrainian battalion soldiers will arrive from leave in Pleso on 19 July.